



FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION
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RE: MUR 5646
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as treasurer

Dear Messrs Elias and Reese:

On October 3, 2007, you filed a reply to the General Counsel's Briefs addressed to your clients and requested a probable cause hearing. The purpose of this letter is to inform you that the Commission has not granted your request. *See Policy Statement Establishing a Pilot Program for Probable Cause Hearings*, 72 Fed. Reg. 7551, 7552 (Feb. 16, 2007).

If you have any questions, please contact me at (202) 694-1650.

Sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Dawn M. Odrowski". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Dawn M. Odrowski
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